

37. The hand truck of Claim 33 further comprising a wheel base extension having at least two wheel mounting shafts affixed thereon and fasteners for securing said extension to said brackets, said least two wheel mounting shafts being more widely spaced apart from each other than a mutual spacing between said rear shafts.

38. The hand truck of Claim 37 wherein said wheel base extension is a plate and said least two wheel mounting shafts are perpendicular to said plate, and said plate is fastened to said brackets such that said least two wheel mounting shafts are parallel to said rear shafts

39. The hand truck of Claim 33 wherein said brackets are mutually parallel plates, each of said brackets is affixed to one of said vertical members and each of said rear shafts is affixed to an inside surface of a corresponding one of said brackets

40. The hand truck of Claim 39 wherein each of said brackets has a rear edge perpendicular to a said rear shaft affixed to said bracket.